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Applicant	:	James Hunter Boone, et al.		
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RESPONSE

The present communication is submitted in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Non-Final Office Action dated December 23, 2009. In response to the subject Non-Final Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims: begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks: begin on page 8 of this paper.